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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to an office action mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 16, 2008 (hereinafter, the "Office Action"). This paper is being filed with a petition for a three-month extension of time along with the requisite fee. No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with this filing, however, should any fees be deemed necessary in connection with the present paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855.

Please make the amendments shown on the following pages and consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.